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Commissioner of Patents

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Sir:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicant hereby petitions under 37 C.F.R. §1.136 for an extension of time of one month to respond to the outstanding Office Action of June 10, 2004. Attached is a check including the amount of \$120.00 for response within the first month. (37 C.F.R. §1.17(a)). The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 20-0809.

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Accompanying this petition is a timely response to the Office Action, the period for response to this Office Action being extended by this petition to December 10, 2004.

Respectfully submitted,

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